Report of Operative C. Morgan

Hall-Mills

105.1299 Sept. 22nd, 1926

Cm / Stalker, Waller)

Re: Stalker, Waller and Battle.

After receiving instructions Operative Purdy and myself proceeded to the Standard Garage at 219 French St. where I interviewed Mr. Gill Stalker, who is a friend of Robert Erling, one of the State witnesses, who told me that Bob Erling is a"rotten liar" and that all the people in the neighborhood know him as such. I asked Mr. Stalker if he could come down to Mr. Watson's office and he said he could not to-day as he was going out of town and would not return until late to-night. Before leaving I told him I would get in touch with him in a day or so.

I then joined Operative G.T. Purdy and went to the Home Street and made inquiries at several houses and finally found Mrs. Waller living at #331 Home St. with her husband, mother and father. We asked Mrs. Waller what she saw when she was with Bob Erling in his automobile on the evening of Sept. 14th, 1922. She stated that she did not see anything. We asked her for a signed statement and she stated that she would have to talk to her husband first. Her husband would be home at 12 o'clock for lunch and we told her we would be back then to see him.

We returned to Mr. Watson's office and reported this information to him. At 11:30 A.M. Mr. Watson, Purdy and myself went to the Waller home and waited for Mr. Waller, who came into the house about 12:20 P.M. Mr. Watson asked Mrs. Waller if the Investigators who took her to Somerville asked her to say that she saw Mrs. Gibson on the road and she stated that they did not. Mr. Watson then asked her who asked her if she saw Mrs. Gibson and she replied that Mr. Bergen and Capt. Lamb. Mr. Watson then made an appointment for Mr. and Mrs. Waller to come down to his office to make a statement. We then returned to the office.

> In the evening Operative went to the home of -continued-